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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated July 6, 1999 in the above-referenced patent application:

- A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. (One months(s))
- Other enclosures: Return Postcard

The fee (if any) has been calculated as follows:

FOR	CLAIMS ON FILE AFTER THIS AMENDMENT MINUS HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS	51-53	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3-3	0	x \$78.00	\$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if not previously paid for and + \$260.00 presented for the first time) *				\$0.00
	TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =			\$0.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$0.00
			SUB TOTAL =	\$0.00
Petition for Extension of Time				\$110.00

- A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached.
- Please charge \$110.00 to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket no. 290252021800.
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket No. 290252021800.

Respectfully submitted,

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